

## **COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES**

#### DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

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REFER TO FILE: MP-6

M0377006

June 19, 2003

The Honorable Board of Supervisors County of Los Angeles 383 Kenneth Hahn Hall of Administration 500 West Temple Street Los Angeles, CA 90012

Dear Supervisors:

COMPTON AVENUE - SALE OF SURPLUS PROPERTY UNINCORPORATED COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES SUPERVISORIAL DISTRICT 2 3 VOTES

## IT IS RECOMMENDED THAT YOUR BOARD:

- 1. Find this transaction categorically exempt from the provisions of the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA).
- 2. Declare the fee interest in a portion of Compton Avenue (2,064± square feet), located adjacent to the single-family residence at 1605 East 126th Street, in the unincorporated area of the County of Los Angeles known as Willowbrook, to be excess.
- 3. Authorize the sale of this parcel to the adjacent property owner, Residential Investments, LLC, for \$20,000.
- 4. Instruct the Chair to sign the enclosed Quitclaim Deed and authorize delivery to the Grantee.

### PURPOSE/JUSTIFICATION OF RECOMMENDED ACTION

This action will allow the County of Los Angeles to sell surplus property along Compton Avenue, north of 126th Street, to the adjacent property owner, Residential Investments, LLC, who owns a single-family residence at 1605 East 126th Street, in the unincorporated area of the County of Los Angeles. The property is located along the east side of Compton Avenue, north of 126th Street.

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The County acquired the fee title to this property as part of the land needed for Compton Avenue. Construction has been completed and the subject property lies outside of the required right of way. The adjacent property owner, who requested to purchase this property, is considered to be the logical purchaser.

## <u>Implementation of Strategic Plan Goals</u>

This action is consistent with the Strategic Plan Goal of Fiscal Responsibility. The revenue from the sale will be used for road purposes. Furthermore, the sale will eliminate the need to maintain the property and reduce the County's expenses and liability.

#### FISCAL IMPACT/FINANCING

The proposed selling price of \$20,000 represents the appraised value. This amount has been paid and deposited into the County Road Fund.

## FACTS AND PROVISIONS/LEGAL REQUIREMENTS

As required by California Government Code Section 65402, a notification of the proposed sale was submitted to the County of Los Angeles Department of Regional Planning for its report as to conformance with the adopted General Plan. By letter dated March 31, 2003, the Department of Regional Planning deemed the proposed sale in conformance with its General Plan.

The sale is not considered adverse to the County's purposes. The Quitclaim Deed does not transfer rights to any oil, gas, petroleum, or other hydrocarbon and minerals. The enclosed Quitclaim Deed has been approved by County Counsel and will be recorded.

## **ENVIRONMENTAL DOCUMENTATION**

The sale of this property is categorically exempt from the CEQA, as specified in Class 12 of the Environmental Document Reporting Procedures and Guidelines adopted by your Board on November 17, 1987, Synopsis 57, and Section 15312 of State CEQA Statutes and Guidelines.

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## **IMPACT ON CURRENT SERVICES (OR PROJECTS)**

None.

### CONCLUSION

This action is in the County's best interest. Enclosed are an original and two duplicates of the Quitclaim Deed. Please have the original and duplicates signed by the Chair and acknowledged by the Executive Officer of the Board of Supervisors. Please return the executed original and one duplicate to this office, retaining one duplicate for your files.

One approved copy of this letter is requested.

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES A. NOYES
Director of Public Works

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cc: Auditor-Controller (Accounting Division - Asset Management)
Chief Administrative Office
County Counsel

RECORDING REQUESTED BY
AND MAIL TO:

RESIDENTIAL INVESTMENTS
2629 Manhattan Avenue
Suite 225
Hermosa Beach, CA 90254

Space Above This Line Reserved for Recorder's Use\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Documentary transfer tax is \$\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

( ) computed on full value of property conveyed, or Assessor's Identification Number:

Assessor's Identification Number: 6147-018 (Not Assessed)

# **QUITCLAIM DEED**

For a valuable consideration, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, the COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, a body corporate and politic, does hereby remise, release and forever quitclaim to RESIDENTIAL INVESTMENTS, LLC, a California limited liability company, all its right, title and interest in and to all that real property in the unincorporated territory of the County of Los Angeles, State of California, described in Exhibit "A" attached hereto and by this reference made a part hereof.

EXCEPTING therefrom all oil, gas, petroleum and other hydrocarbon substances and minerals but without right of entry to the surface of said land.

Subject to all matters of record.

Deputy

AH:jb P9/qdAH

	COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES a body corporate and politic		
	By		
	Chair, Board of Supervisors of the County of Los Angeles		
ATTEST:	01 (	he County of Los	Angeles
VIOLET VARONA-LUKENS, Executive Officer of the Board of Supervisors of the County of Los Angeles		SALE OF COUNTY PROPERTY Compton Avenue N/O 126th Street (File: COMPTON AVENUE (46)) I.M. 099-297 S.D. 4 M0377006	
By			1410377000

**NOTE:** Acknowledgment form on reverse side.

STATE OF CALIFORNIA )	
COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES ) ss.	
officio the governing body of all other sauthorities for which said Board so acts a Government Code which authorized the usall papers, documents, or instruments requite the undersigned hereby certifies the facsimile signature of of Supervisors of the COUNTY OF LOS A of this document. The undersigned further	nat on thisday of, 200,
•	ervisors of the COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES.  The eunto set my hand and affixed my official seal the day
and year above written.	VIOLET VARONA-LUKENS, Executive Officer of the Board of Supervisors of the County of Los Angeles
	By Deputy
(COUNTY-SEAL)	
APPROVED as to form LLOYD W. PELLMAN, County Counsel	
By Deputy	
APPROVED as to title and execution,	

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#### EXHIBIT "A"

#### <u>PART A</u>

The easterly 10 feet of that portion of Lot 3, Brinkerhoff Tract, as shown on map recorded in Book 2, page 16, of Maps, in the office of the Recorder of the County of Los Angeles, described as Parcel 6 -17x (Compton Avenue) in a Final order of Condemnation had in Superior Court Case No. 953,047, a certified copy of which is recorded on April 8, 1970, as Document No. 2175, in Book D4680, page 281, of Official Records, in the office of said recorder.

## PART B

That portion of above mentioned Lot 3, described as Parcel 6 – 19 (Compton Avenue) in deed to the County of Los Angeles, recorded on July 13, 1971, as Document No. 3839 in Book D5122, page 473, of said Official Records.

Description Approved
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JAMES A. NOYES
Director of Public Works

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